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TAGS: PFOR, US, UR, FR, CSCE
SUBJECT: ANTI-US PROPAGANDA OFFERED BY SOVIET
CONSULAR SECTION IN PARIS

1. IT HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION BY UNOFFICIAL FRENCH CONTACTS THAT SOVIET EMBASSY PARIS' CONSULAR SECTION IS OFFERING CALLERS, AMONG NUMBER OF OTHER PROPAGANDISTIC GIVE-AWAY ITEMS, AT LEAST TWO BOOKLETS DIRECTLY AND EXPLICITLY AIMED AGAINST US. ONE IS ENTITLED "THE UNITED STATES: THE TRADITIONS TRAMPLED UNDER FOOT", THE OTHER "AMERICAN LIBERALISM: MYTHS AND REALITIES". BOOKLETS WERE PUBLISHED BY NOVOSTI IN 1976 AND 1975 RESPECTIVELY. CONTENT IS HIFALUTIN BUT UNABASHEDLY BY HOSTILE PROPAGANDA.

2. WITHOUT EXAGGERATING IMPORTANCE IT OCCURS TO US THAT USING SOVIET CONSULATE IN FRANCE TO PRAISE USSR IS ONE THING, TO ATTACK THIRD COUNTRIES LIKE US ANOTHER. IN ANY CASE PRACTICE HARDLY CONSISTENT SPIRIT OF HELSINKI, DETENTE AND IMPROVING RELATIONS. IF DEPARTMENT CONCURS WE PROPOSE THEREFORE MAKE LOW-KEY BUT POINTED DEMARCHE SOVIET EMBASSY THIS SUBJECT AND MENTION SOVIET PRACTICE TO OUR COLLEAGUES AT
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QUAI. QUESTION ALSO OCCURS TO US, AND MAY INTEREST DEPARTMENT, WHETHER THIS IS IN FACT STANDARD SOVIET PRACTICE IN OTHER POSTS.
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Message Attributes

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